



17555 PEAK AVENUE MORGAN HILL CALIFORNIA 95037

AFTER ACTION MINUTES

YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

5:00 p.m.

DECEMBER 4, 2006

City Hall, Council Chambers

17555 Peak Ave.

Morgan Hill, CA 95037

(408) 779-7271 or 782-0008

Youth Advisory Committee Board Members

Committee Member Shaila Patel

Committee Member Isela Bañuelos

Committee Member Kelly Del Carlo

Committee Member Vince Moreschini

Committee Member Casey Corbin

Committee Member Tirza Banuelos

Committee Member Nadia Rahim

Committee Member Ariana Hosseini

Committee Member Matice McClellan

Park & Recreation Commissioner Marilyn Libers

Youth Advisory Committee Associate Members:

Acacia Brownkorbel, Brittany Garrido, Samantha Bondi, Lauren Drewniany

Sarah Goodere, Trevor Watson, Will Cambra, Kaitlin Miller, Jonathan Baio,

Austin Harthun, Skyler Sugimoto, Joshua Crespo, Charissa Hosseini,

Jennifer Giles, Casey Schenkelberg

Staff Advisor: Chiquy Mejia. **Supervisor:** Therese Luger.

5:10 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Member I. Bañuelos

ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE

Board Members Absent: Kelly Del Carlo, & Ariana Hosseini

Board Members Tardy: none

Board Members Leaving Early: Matice McClellan

Associate Members Absent: Sarah Goodere, Charissa Hosseini, Jennifer Giles,

Associate Member Tardy: none

Associate Members Leaving Early: Skyler Sugimoto, & Acacia Brownkorbel

DECLARATION OF POSTING OF AGENDA

Per Government Code 54954.2

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Member Patel

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

VERBAL REPORTS

A. SUBSTANCE ABUSE KILLS (SAK) CAMPAIGN PRESENTATION

Mary Ellen Salzano, Campaign Coordinator, presented and provided to the YAC information about the Substance Abuse Kill Campaign that she is coordinating. Mary Ellen is concerned about the immense alcohol use among adolescents. She encouraged the YAC members to support this campaign and spread the word about it to fellow friends.

B. COMMUNITY BUS PROGRAM

Jim Rowe informed the YAC members of the new bus program being established in Morgan Hill. This program includes the addition of 20 smaller buses. Jim Rowe asked YAC for a youth representative who can participate in this committee and provide the youth input because of students are the majority users for public transportation. Andy Hui, ex YAC member presented in the audience manifested interest in being part of this committee. Current YAC members do not use public transportation.

C. CURRENT BMX PARK REPORT

Mori Struve reported that the current BMX Park may be closed in summer 2007. A Demonstration Garden will be built in this area, and a path way to connect the rail way and the Court House.

D. CURRENT AND NEW SKATE PARK REPORT

Member Bañuelos reported that in order to establish a new skate park that would fit the needs of the skating community, a survey would need to be distributed to the youth in town. Member Bañuelos presented to Mori Struve and YAC members a draft of possible survey to use. Mori Struve will submit additional information or changes to member Bañuelos and/or Staff Mejia.

E. TEEN CENTER USE BY CHILDREN UNDER 13 YEARS OLD

Chris Ghione, CRC Supervisor, presented the idea to YAC of allowing young youth under the age of 13 years old to use the teen center at least one day per month. YAC members agreed on the proposed idea as they felt that getting younger members acquainted with the facility would promote the use of the center.

F. TEEN CENTER MY SPACE EMAIL ACCOUNT www.myspace.com/crcteencenter

Chris Ghione reported that Halide Mesinovic, CRC Teen Specialist, created a myspace account for the teen center. The myspace profile would serve as a bulletin of events occurring at the teen center. Chris encouraged YAC members who have a myspace account to link it to the Teen Center one in order to find out the updated information of the activities held in the Teen Center.

G. TEEN CENTER SOCIAL NIGHT ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8 FROM 6PPM TO 9:30PM

Member Patel informed the group that YAC volunteers were needed to coordinate the social night for the teen center on Friday, December 8th. Members Bondi and Schenkelberg agreed to volunteer at event. Staff Mejia will contact Halida Mesinovic, CRC Teen Specialist to let her know who the YAC members are coordinating the social night on Friday, December 8.

H. PASSPORT DISCOUNT OFFERED TO USE ALL 3 RECREATION FACILITIES

Staff Mejia informed the YAC members about the idea of having a passport discount that can be used between the CCC, CRC and AC. This passport will allow Morgan Hill residents or non residents to enjoy different recreation activities between the 3 facilities with a reasonable price. Staff Mejia asked for creative names to call this passport. YAC members will email staff Mejia with their ideas.

I. ETHICS TRAINING REPORT

Member Miller reported that only 2 YAC members took the Ethics Workshop on line and the rest attended to the one done at City Hall. The workshop was very informative and provided guidelines of what committee, commissioner's members and city staff could or could not do.

J. YAC WEBSITE REPORT

Member Miller reported that a brief biography and a picture of each YAC member are needed to finalize the PDF file that will be placed in the Morgan Hill website under Youth Advisory Committee.

K. SENIOR CITIZEN BALL REPORT.

Member Patel reported that Staff Mejia, Member Bondi and herself had gotten together Monday, November 14 at 5pm at the CCC to begin the planning for the Senior Citizen Ball.

L. MH YOUTH LEADER PROGRAM. NEXT MEETING ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, FROM 4:30PM TO 5:30PM.

Member Bondi reported that the planning for MHYL had commenced. YAC members interested in being part of the program were encouraged to attend the next meeting on Tuesday, December 5th at 4:30pm at the CCC, Machado Room.

CONSENT CALENDAR:

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 6, 2006

Member T. Bañuelos moved to approve the minutes of November 6, 2006, motion second by member Corbin. Motion carried 6:0.

BUSINESS:

2. ANNUAL SENIOR CITIZEN BALL 2007, SATURDAY, APRIL 7, FROM 5 TO 9PM, AT THE CCC, MH HIRAM ROOM.

Member Moreschini moved to appoint members Patel as Chair and Schenkelberg as Vice Chair of the Senior Citizen Ball sub-committee. Motion was second by Member Rahim. Motion carried 6:0.

3. MARKETING STRATEGIES TO PROMOTE THE MH TEEN CENTER ACTIVITIES AT THE LOCAL SCHOOLS.

Member T. Bañuelos moved to appoint members Patel, McClellan, Baio, Bondi, Miller and Schenkelberg as sub-committee to develop ideas and promote the teen activities available at the CRC in local schools High Schools such as: Sobrato and Live Oak. Motion was second by Member Corbin. Motion carried 7:0

DISCUSS:

Developmental Asset of the Month: from a YAC member. Assets discussed already #4, #17, #23, #36, #22, #41, #15, #33, #20, #21, #14, #7, #1, #19, #6, #31, & #29 SKIPPED

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YAC Holiday Gathering Together.

Job Announcement: Recreation Leaders, Camp Director, and event attendance are needed at the CCC.

REQUESTS FOR FUTURE ITEMS

- Morgan Hill / San Martin Substance Abuse Prevention Partnership - Follow Up - Representative

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made at 6:45 pm by member Rahim to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded by member T. Bañuelos. Motion carried 6:0. The next regular scheduled meeting is at 5pm on January 8, 2006 at City Hall, Council Chambers

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE WORK MEETING

1- Updated YAC Brochure – color copies will be made in turquoise and circulated to the CRC, teen center and CCC.

2- Teen Center Pictures Project for the Grand Opening by Casey Schenkelberg. Member Schenkelberg will provide the project made to Staff Mejía

Minutes taken, typed and formatted by:
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Member I Bañuelos
Chiquy Mejía, YAC Advisor

Date: 12/19/06
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